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D. M. Krishnan.
23. 12. 43.

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From The ARP Office Bcity
M ARP. 394/4240 d 2nd Nov. 43 requesting orders agst nos of Selection & Training of PW Dept and their Deputation to Masons for the required training in the Mospl Rescue Comp organisd by the ARP Organisation Mons.

Asks for proposal and orders whether the C.E may be consulted on the proposal. The ARP officer also suggests the (either Sub Engineer or Overseers) from the PWD to be deputed for the purpose.

It is desirable to train rescue parties & to arrange from now for the necessary training. The A.R.P's proposal may therefore be approved & the Acting Engineer requested to select suitable officers for training & deputation

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OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS
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Mem 16023-b d 16th Dec-43 forg 2 cys of letter addressed to the Govt of India recommending 4 Vans & 2 officers for being deputed to Mesop for undergoing training in A.R.P vans during.

In view of the revised Civil Defence Policy and Directives issued for disbanding the ARP Estt from 1st Jan-44. it is for consideration and orders whether the deputation is necessary at present

(GS 15/12 SCE.) Even though the A.R.P. organisation is disbanded, training in rescue work would be very useful & in this view the officers selected may perhaps be sent for training so that they would be useful on an emergency

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

No.A.R.P.394/42-43.

Office of the A.R.P. Officer,
Bangalore City.
Dated 2nd November 1943.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Through: The Inspector General of Police in Mysore, Bangalore.

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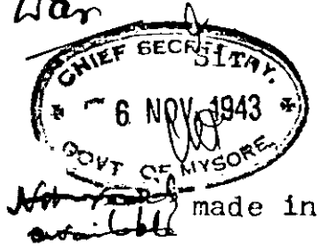

RESCUE SERVICE - A.R.P.

I have the honour to invite kind reference to the proposals made in this office letter No.A.R.P.394/42-43 dated 30-10-1942, for the organisation of Rescue parties in the City and to your letter No.2866/W dated 24-12-1942, conveying the approval of Government thereto.

Before any definite action could be taken in the matter of organising the Rescue parties in the City on the lines proposed, the threat of war receded by the improvement in the war situation, which was followed by the Government of India circular regarding the revised policy relating to Civil Defence measures in the classified towns. As the result of the Revised Policy, the City was classified under B.II category and retrenchments were effected to keep the expenditure towards the A.R.P. measures to the minimum in accordance with the instructions of Government.

The training of the personnel proposed for the rescue parties could not be undertaken as Mr. B.S.Venkatesiah, B.Sc., B.E., Assistant Engineer, who underwent the training in Rescue work at Bombay, was transferred to Mysore to work under the A.R.P. Controller, Mysore City and was not available to give frequent training to the personnel. Mr. Venkatesiah, has since been reverted to the Public Works Department and will not therefore be available for giving continuous and intensive training to the personnel of the A.R.P. Rescue Parties.

I may be permitted to state that Rescue work needs intelligent, able-bodied men physically fit to withstand intense physical

physical strain lasting perhaps in some cases for hours at a stretch and should be well trained in the several methods and technique of rescue-work. They should be continued to be kept under intensive training in order to keep the personnel in a high pitch of efficiency. In importance, this service ranks next to the Fire Brigade, as the responsibility of extricating persons buried under the debris devolves on this service. The leaders of these parties should be capable of taking quick and correct decisions so as to ensure the lives of the people buried under the debris and also be capable of personally tackling the most dangerous portion of the work without any hesitation.

As observed during the several practices held in the City, the training so far given to the Rescue personnel already organized in the City, is in my opinion, not at all sufficient. Kind reference is invited to the para on Rescue Service contained in the Progress Report for the month of April 1943, submitted to Government in my letter No.A.R.P.992/42-43 dated 13-5-1943. As suggested by me therein, two men of the Public Works Department, preferably Sub-Engineers or Overseers, selected with reference to their physical stamina, intelligence, leadership under very trying conditions, may be deputed to Madras for a period of one month to undergo the required training in the Mopla Rescue Camp, organised by the A.R.P. Organization, Madras City. After their return from training, they can take up the intensive training of the Rescue Service personnel in the City which is urgently required.

I request that orders of Government may kindly be obtained to the proposal.

A.R.C. 175/43-44 dt. 5-11-43

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Forwarded with Compliments

Inspector-General of Police.

A.R.P. OFFICER,
Bangalore City.

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Signed by ...Sd S.U.V.

May this be—

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Serial No. 2.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Order No. W1122-25.

Read— Letter No ARP-394/42-43 & 2nd Nov. 43 from the A.R.P. officer Bgh, received thro the I.G.P. Suggesting in the circumstances stated, that two officers of the P.W.D. proposed by Sub-Engineers or Overseers Selected in the reference to their physical Stamina, intelligence and leadership may be deputed to Madras for a period of one month to undergo the required training as A.R.P. Rescue Service in the Mysore Rescue Camp Organised by the A.R.P. organisation Madras City and subsidy that after

Order thereon.—No.

their return from training they can take up the intensive training of the Rescue Service Personnel in Bangalore city

Order:- No. 1122-25.

The proposal of the A.R.P officer is approved. The Chief Engineer is requested to select suitable officers for being deputed to Madras for the training and ~~subsequently~~ for conducting the same in Bangalore

Chief Secretary

H.S.P. - Chief Engineer.
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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

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OFFICE OF The Chief Engineer of Mysore,
P.W.D., B a n g a l o r e.

Date

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department, Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to Government Order No. W.1122-25/W.117-43-9 dated the 29th November 1943, sanctioning the deputation of suitable officers of the Public Works Department to Madras for training in A.R.P., I have the honour to request you to be so good as to convey sanction of Government to Messrs. N. C. Kanjakshikumar and H. Seetharamiah, Overseers, being deputed to Madras for a period of one month to undergo the required training in A.R.P. Rescue Service in the Mopla Rescue Camp Organized by the A.R.P.Organisation Madras City.

A copy of the Government Order referred to above, is herewith enclosed for information.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd/- L. A. H. Winckler,
Chief Engineer of Mysore.

A.K./13th.

[URGENT].

No. 14023-6 Dated, Bangalore, the 14 December 1943

Copy of the foregoing is forwarded with compliments to the Chief Secretary to Government, for information, with reference to G.O. No. W.1122-25/W117-43-9 dated the 29th November 1943.

14/12/43

Chief Engineer of Mysore.

A.K./13th.